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APPLICANT: Gutierrez et al.)
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 22, 2003, the period for response to which has been extended one month through and including August 22, 2003 by concurrently filed petition.

This application contains claims 1 through 15. No amendments to the claims are proffered.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.